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The Judicial Usurpation

When we said yesterday that Judges BOND and HUGHES had usurped the functions of the legislative, the executive, and the judicial departments of the State government of Virginia we did not exaggerate the facts. As was shown in our local columns yesterday, the law of Virginia prescribes the method of paying all moneys into the treasury, and provides that any person who shall pay in any other manner shall remain liable for such money. And yet in the face of this law-in contempt of the authority of the State and of the Legislature-a Circuit Court of the United States has issued an order commanding the Auditor not to refuse to receive coupons for taxes! In other words, that Court has undertaken to repeal a law of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and to release s State officer from his obligation to obey that law.

The amount in controversy in the case of PARSONS, &c., was a little less than five thousand dollars-so little less that it is mortifying to consider it-and therefore the case cannot be taken up to the Supreme Court of the United States.

It may be supposed that if a State officer were imprisoned the Supreme Court would issue a writ of habeas corpus in his behalf. It has the right to do so. But that tribunal would re fuse to entertain a petition for a writ of habeas corpus under such circumstances-a case of contempt of court as it would be claimed to be by BOND and HUGHES. As we said vesterday, a Circuit Court

of the United States now fills the office of commissioner of the revenue. Mr. MUNFORD, his assistants, clerks, and agents, are the persons authorized to issue licenses. They are by law required to issue them only to the proper persons-that is, to such persons as have paid for their licenses in money, and, in the case of liquor-licenses, to such persons only, we think, as the Hustings Court has granted permission the capacity, as it has been defined, to take out such licenses. But the Federal Circuit Court orders Mr. MUN- business department of the Government and to issue licenses to "any appli cant" for such license!

Will Judge HUGHES take the responsibility of imprisoning all officers who under the law of the State refuse to receive coupons for taxes, and thus put an end to the State government? Will be appoint new officers in the place of the incarcerated ones, and become an | will command the confidence of the "autocrat of all the Russias?" Will country by their character and ability he pass new laws, or will he let the laws now on the statute-book remain there, and treat them with contempt?

Mr. TUCKER ought at once to intro
But in addition to this they should be men fitted for the work which they duce into the House of Representatives | will have to do, and capable of directing the affairs of their departments a bill giving to the State of Virginia with business-like efficiency. A man (for the suit is really against the Commay be never so brilliant and useful in monwealth) a right of appeal in this other directions, but if he lack execuparticular case. By unanimous con- tive ability-the power to command, sent such a bill could be passed in ten combined with a genius and capacity for hard work-he will fail as chief of minutes. It need not contain a hunan administrative department. Mr. dred words. On the 16th of March a Cleveland has let fall enough to make number of Virginia cases are to be it clear that he wants a working Cabiheard by the Supreme Court of the net, distinguished for the executive United States. Let this one be added force so prominent in his own characto the number. The very exist- ter." tence of the Commonwealth is imperilled, we might say, without means administrative reform from top to bottom. If he succeeds in this he much exaggeration; for if Judge will vindicate the Democratic party-HUGHES is to be allowed to set aside vindicate the issue upon which he was State laws, not because they are unconelected. That involves an honest, busistitutional, but because he doesn't like ness-like, representative Administrathem, then the State government has no tion, and all the country could desire. reason for being. Recollect, in this connection, what we said yesterdaythat the Supreme Court of the United States long ago decided that the State had under the Federal Constitution the right to require the genuineness of the coupons to be proved before she could be compelled to receive them for taxes.

draw the color line in the gubernatorial election of this year-that is, to appeal to the negro voters to put down the Democratic party because what was called "a riot" happened at Danville in 1883,-then such Republicans are indeed stricken with judicial blindness. The results of all such campaigns even in South Carolina, Louisiana, and Missippi, where the negroes constitute a majority of the population, show that if that disagreeable issue is to be raised the Democrats will carry inis next fall by an increased jority. Nobody can foretell what MAHONE will or will not do, but we are pretty sure that he is too good a strategist to raise the race question, or lraw the color-line, in a State in which

the white voters are in a majority of

nsand or more. We deem it

If the Republicans of Virginia desire,

as some persons suppose they do, to

kely that he is "bluffling"— home." That's enough to make the that is to say, would like to run GEONGE CARREL, or Mr. BARBOUR, Kansas Legislature pass an ordinance of Perhaps it may be somebody
whom he regards as a strong canina Legislature on Thursday last passed a bill prohibiting the selling or giving

the Danville riot. We of cigars or cigarettes to boys under

con't know who it is, but we know that, though we think it would be much wiser and better for the two parties to divide on other issues, yet no Democrat need fear to enter the lists as a gubernatorial candidate because his political opponents have chosen to charge him with more or less responsibility for the Danville riot, Colonel Ton, WHITEHEAD has been considering this subject, and has

reached the following conclusions:

each county, will give us such a major-ity. There must be a mobilizing of the troops, and it must be of volunteers

not conscripts. If our congressional delegation is wise and pru-

dent, and recognizes the wishes of the people, and not the suggestions and management of inter-

ested leaders and managers in the dis

tribution of Federal patronage, very

great strength will be added to our

orce in the State elections, and the ene-

my will be robbed of much of his

active, earnest organization of

A Working Cabinet.

do these gentlemen. When it comes

in it. Amid all the doubt and specula-

Ler of the Cabinet is executive ability-

and who are in sympathy with the principles of their party and with the

views and purposes of the President.

In other words, Mr. CLEVELAND

The SWAIM court-martial is as big a

"Canned goat is now sold in the

"Any superfluous timber that

CLEVELAND has left over from making

his Cabinet he can use up in the bu-

"Colonel INGERSOLL announces that

The Philadelphia Press says : " But-

LER's name is not mentioned with levity

in New Orleans and Baltimore." No;

it is generally mentioned with abhor-

"SARAH BERNHARDT'S anatomical

fancy, a human skeleton, brought only

sixty cents at the recent creditors'

sale." Is it possible that SARAH

"The Liberty bell," says the Jour-

nal of Commerce, "is as honored and safe at the South as in its Philadelphia

brought only sixty cents?

he will remain abroad five years.'

Colonel INGERSOLL has public permis-

reaus." Or broom-handles.

sion to remain abroad forever.

nuisance as is-well, BOUTELLE.

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party in every of the State at large.

"The Secretary of the Treasury admits that he has been managing the Treasury Department so as to make it sort of second fiddle to the New York "We believe the true Democratic banks." Playing a base vile accompamajority in Virginia, whenever an elec-tion is clear of simple local issues, is at least 20,000. We believe that a comniment to their racket, as it were. We nominate MURAT HALSTEAD to plete organization, zealously seconded by the masses of the Democratic party, with proper acceptable candidates on the State ticket and for the Legislature in

ten years of age." The bill will proba-

The Indianapolis Sentinel says: " A

reach milliner has invented a bonnet

trimmed with asses' cars." That sets

s price on the head of nearly every

member of the Kansas Legislature.

bly end in smoke.

be Assistant False Prophet with the right of succession in case anything happens to the Mahdi. He is bloodthirsty enough to fill the bill, and never made a prophecy that was fulfilled in his life.

THE PHILADELPHIA HORROR. Further Particulars of the Burning of the Almshouse.

The following details of the burning of the department of the insane of Blockley Almshouse, by which eighteen lunatics met death, is taken from late telegrams :

nower. To sweep the State of Vir-From all the conflicting accounts to be ginia, every move must be based on obtained, it appears pretty certain that popularity with the masses. We must avoid jars in the counties. The candithe first alarm was given by an insane patient on the first floor of the main dates, State and county, must be men building. This man-Joseph Nadinewho will not be put on the defensive, but occupied a room adjoining the stairway who will be able to take the aggresand the drying-room, with about twenty sive and show the corruptions and iniquities of Virginia Radicalism. The other quiet patients. When, about ten minutes to 8 o'clock, he saw smoke candidates for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, and Attorney-General must issuing from above the door which opened into the wing in which the cells be of the highest, most acceptable, and were situated, he ran to the big iron popular order-men as free as possible from objection, and able on the hustings plated door fronting on the main corri-dor of the building and cried out, to sustain themselves and their party This fearful cry reached the Fire!" The great thing to be done is to secure ears of Joseph Shroeder, the attendant enthusiastic harmony in the party, and of the ground floor, who was in his this can be done only by a proper seroom, directly opposite the one from which Nadine had given the lection of candidates and a proper and alarm. Mrs. Umpstead, who has in every county as well as for general charge at night, says that it was about 8 o'clock when the alarm It seems to us that this is a modest reached her. She was in her office, about two hundred feet from the dryroom, and at once hurried to the scene. She says that an attempt was made If the public men who from time to put out the flames with buckets of time by invitation conferred with Mr. water, and at first it was supposed that CLEVELAND were women they would, the flames were only burning from the ground floor, near the stairway, but in according to RIP VAN WINKLE, make almost an instant it was found that the most excellent wives. A dumber lot real point from which the danger came of men were never known. The ovster was the second floor, at the top of and above the dry-room. She then hastened of Captain PARR, of Virginia Constituto get all the patients from the main tional-Convention fame, does not de building extending back from the east monstrate the common sense of keeping wing. Attendant Shroeder takes up a "shet" mouth more effectually than the thread of the story at this point,

down to bottom facts, the public know the dreadful night : no more now as to who will "I do not know who sounded the alarm. As soon as I heard Nadine's be in the Cabinet than they did cry I rushed to the foot of the stairthree months ago. Nor are they way, and after a short attempt to check likely to know anything definite as far the fire at once set to work to get out as names are concerned until after the the patients. First I unlocked the door of the room in which Nadine and his 4th of March. Of course, there are companions were. They ran out at plenty of natural and logical inferences, once. By this time the flames were but, after all, the best-laid inferences, gathering in fury, and dense vollike the best-laid plans of men, oft imes of smoke were ascending into gang agley. All this is very annoying the upper stories. I succeeded in to the political prophet; but there is, unlocking the doors of all the cells nevertheless, an element of consolation on the first floor, and, although with difficulty in some cases, in getting all the inmates out. I had no time to look tion there appears to be one certainty. after them further than to run them into and that is that the Cabinet will be a the yard, for the flames were getting so fierce that it was almost impossible to Cabinet in fact as well as in name. The breathe in the now fiercely-burning Boston Herald, after defining the duties building. The smoke in the upper of the President and of Cabinet-officers, stories was so thick that breathing was impossible. While I was getting the men out below the attendant William "It is obvious from this that the most necessary qualification of a mem-Strain was doing the same for the nmates on the second floor. I met Mr. Hanna, the night watchman, who 'to superintend the administration of a was also helping, and we went up to the third story, but were driven back by the flames, which had forced fective service in all its business.' This their way through the stairway and prime qualification is wholly ignored in were creeping along to the cells of the most of the current discussion and doomed inmates. We ran around to the other stairway, near the new buildspeculation as to the construction of ings on the west, and by that time some "Every Administration, nearly, has firemen had arrived. All the inmates furnished proof of the bad policy of had been gotten out of the second story. constructing a Cabinet and leaving out of view the chief ends of its existence. so that there remained about twentyeight on the third floor, twenty in the "The members should be men who cells, and eight in the large common

and thus relates some of the horrors of

room on the west end. LAUGHING AT AND CURSING THE

FLAMES. "The unfortunate occupants of the cells were being smothered to death by smoke, and perhaps blistered and burned by the flames. Their cries were heartrending. Some of them cursed and swore; others laughed hidcously, and others yelled with pain with such awful cries as would have appalled the hardest heart. The firemen, myself, and a patient named Rafferty crawled on our hands and knees to such of the men as we could reach, and dragged out fourteen, eight of them alive, four suffocated to death, and two so horribly burned that they died be fore we could get them out of the build-We could not see any of the men n the cells, of course, but could hear their horrible cries above the roaring of the flames as they came to realize that

a horrible fate was in store for them." While Shroeder was going through this terrible experience the flames were extending to the main building of the department. The wing in which the victims were being burned alive was wrapped in flames, which were shooting many feet into the air and illuminating the streets of the city for many squares. At half-past 8 o'clock an alarm had been struck, and in half an hour a general alarm sounded. When the firemen arrived the fire was enveloping about one third of the main building and burning flercely. The two plugs in the yard gave but an indifferent supply of States." That's a new way of putting

> HEROIC EFFORTS OF THE FIREMEN. Truck F arrived on the scene soon after the first alarm, and its ladder was quickly run up to the third floors to the windows of the cells in which the maniacs were fastened. With axe and hook the firemen attacked the iron gratings of the cells, and succeeded in taking out seven men, four of them suffocated to death and three still alive. The last man thus rescued was the notorious "Jim" Burke, who has been in the institution over thirty years. He was brought from the Easton penitentiary, where he was undergoing a life sentence for murder. He has killed since he has been in the insane department a cook and two attend-ants. The prisoner who rescued him states that he died while he was being taken to the ground. All of the in-mates of the insane department were rescued safely except those in the third story of the wing in which the fire originated, the total loss of life being

Dr. Alice Avery was the only physician in the building when the fire occurred. Dr. Richardson, the physician in-chief, arrived from his home in a short time after the first alarm was given. There is nothing except wild theorizing as to what caused the fire. No facts are known which would justify any statement whatever. At 1 o'clock this morning the entire group of buildings making up the insane de-

partment was in flames, and there was no prospect of saving them, although the firemen then had the fire well in hand, and all the other department buildings were safe. The loss to the property will amount to about \$150,-

The six hundred and thirty inmates who were burned out of the various wards were, as far as possible and as soon as could be, provided for in the outer wards and other parts of the Imshouse. Many of them, however, escaped into the city and wandered about the streets, where some were captured by the police, and either re-turned to the institution or locked up in the station-houses. The bulk of them were taken to the hospital, and a large number were placed in the clinical lecture-room of the hospital. The women were stowed about the hospital as far as possible, and all were finally cared for. Nine bodies were discov-ered and placed in the dead-room. Only three of those had apparently died from burns received, the other evidently having been suffocated by smoke.

Dr. Biddle, a member of the hospital committee having charge of the insane department, says that there were abso lutely no means of subduing a fire. There will be an investigation at once.

Ward M, in which the unfortunate men met their deaths, was in charge of William Strain, a young man, who had his face singed before he could make his Mr. Strain tells a terrible story. He says : "The rules of the institution require all the inmates to retire at 8 o'clock every night. I had just succeeded in getting the eighty-seven men under my care to bed, and had sat down to make out my usual report, when somebody rushed into my apart-ment and shouted 'Fire!' In an instant the utmost confusion prevailed. The smoke came rolling up the stairway in volumes, and before we could hardly realize our position the flames burst in upon us. "The flames spread with terrible ra-

pidity. I tried to reach the cells where there were nineteen of the most violent patients confined. I knew they

ROASTED TO DEATH if the doors were not unlocked to let them out. My only thought was the liberation of those poor fellows. The smoke and flames poured into the ward, and before I had advanced far I was driven back by the flames. It was impossible for me to go another step forward, and so I had to fly for my life. I barely got out alive. The right side of my face and my moustache were singed by the flames. I could hear the poor fellows in the cells hallooing and cursing like demons, for the fire was upon them.

The thought of their slowly being reasted alive, coupled with their curses and piercing cries for help, was terrible. Oh God! I never lived through such frightful tortures of mind as that I experienced during the few moments I was trying to grope my way out of the burning building. I could hear their kicking and pounding; but they might as well have tried to get through a stone wall, as the cells were constructed with the especial view of confining desperate and violent patients therein. When I reached the ground the other attendants and myself organized the inmates into a fire-brigade. An astonishing thing was the way in which the inmates worked in carrying water and trying to save some of the goods in the building. They shouted and encouraged one another and were of valuable assistance in crying to fight the flames during the early stages of the conflagration. But my thoughts were all the time on the poor wretches whom I knew were being consumed upon the third floor. As soon as the firemen arrived I told the men of Truck F about the occupants of the cells, and they raised their ladders to the windows and tore off the iron bars and rescued four of them. I do not know who they were or where they are, except one, John his feet so badly burned that he died afterwards." Sergeant Moore, of the Third police

district, also had his arm injured. Watchman Hanna said that he drove six men out of the wing bed-room in Ward M. "I drove them out." he says, "and then ran to call sixteen and unlocked the door. Jacob Glassman occupied it, and he wanted me to leave him alone. I knew it was useless to talk to him, so I grabbed him and hurried him out. When I was passing through the bed-room from which I had driven the six men only a moment before I found that two of them had returned to their beds, though the fire was dropping down on them from the ceiling. I compelled them to leave, and then helped to get about thirty feeble men out of the infirmary.' The buildings were erected in 1830,

and they are only partially insured. Horsford's Bread Preparation adds 10 per cent, to the value of flour. The eminent Baron Liebig, the greatest chemist in the world, says: "It is certain that the nutritive value of flour will be increased 10 per cent, by the addition of your Bread Preparation, and the result is the same as if the fertility of our wheat-fields had been increased by that amount."

MANSFIELD-RICHARDSON.—Married, February 12th, by the Rev. A. C. Biedsoe, at the residence of her father, W. R. Pugh, Mrs. E. F. RICHARDSON. of this city, W. P. MANSFIELD, of Spotsylvania coun-ty, Va.

DEATHS. BLANKENSHIP.—Died, at his residence, No. 395 College street, after a few hours ill-sess, THOMAS H. BLANKENSHIP, in the forty-fourth year of his age. Notice of funeral hereafter. New York Herald please copy.

CREW.-Died, Thursday the 12th. at 6:30 P. M. at Prospect, Va., CORNELIUS CREW. son of W. Hall and Irene W. Crew, in the twenty-fourth year of his age.

The remains will be met at the Petersburg depot at 12:45 o'clock THIS AFTERNOON and conveyed to Hollywood. Friends of the family are requested to attend.

DEAN.—Died. February 13th, at 12½ o'clock. WILLIAM H. DEAN. in the forty-second year of his age.

The funeral will sap place from his late residence. No. 913 west. Marshall street, at 3 o'clock P. M. on' SUNDAY. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WILLSON.—Died. February 12th. of croup. In Hanover county, Va., FRANK C. WILLSON, Jr.; aged five years and eleven months, son of F. C. Willson. The burial will take place TO-DAY (Sat-urday), 14th. at 12 o'clock at the Yellow Tavern. Brook turnpike. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

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SECOND PRESBYTERIAN HURCH.-Dr. Hoge at 11 A. M. and 4 OLD-MARKET HALL .- Dr

HOGE will preach To-Morrow Night at Old-Market Hall at half-past 7 o'clock. The hoir will meet at 7 o'clock THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.-Sunday school, 9:30 A. M. Rev.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (Grace above Shafer)-Rev. PEY-TON H. HOGE pastor.—Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Seats free. Public cordially in-

R. R. Howison, pastor, at 11 A. M. and

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corner of Twelfth and Broad streets). reaching To-Morrow by Rev. D. B. WIN-FREE, D. D., at 11 A. M., and Rev. J. WILLIAM JONES, D. D., at 7:30 P. M. Baptisn at night.

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Rev. John B. Newton, Rector. - Divine ser vice at 11 A. M., and at chapel 8 P. M Sunday school, 9:30 A. M.

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DIST (corner Broad and Tenth streets). Rev. A. C. Bl.spsor, pastor, will preach at 11 o'clock A. M., and also at 7:30 P. M. The services at night will be conducted with spe-cial reference to the revival interest in the ongregation. Public cordially invited, and especially those interested on the subject of

IST CHURCH (corner Laurel and Albe-marie streets)—Rev. William P. Wright, Pastor.—Sunday school at 9 A. M.; preaching and reception of members at 11 A. M. Notice of other services will be given at the 11 o'clock service.

TRINITY CHURCH (corner of Broad and Twentieth streets)-Rev. J. C. REED, pastor.—Preaching by pastor at 11 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. SUNDAY. The pew-rent system being abolished, all seats in the church are free. A cordial invi-tation is extended to the public.

CLAY-STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (corner of Adams and Clay streets).—Preaching on SUNDAY at 11 o'clock A. M. and half-past 7 o'clock P. M. by the pastor. Rev. JOSEPH H. RIDDICK. Scats free. All are cordially invited. CENTENARY METHODIST

Fifth)-Rev. WILLIAM E. EDWARDS, D. D. astor,-Preaching at 11 o'clock A. M. and THE YOUNG MEN'S UNION

PRAYER-MEETING OF THE BAPTIST CHURCHES will unite with all Christian young-men workers in a special service for men only at the Pine-Street Baptist church SUNDAY AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock. Rev. GEORGE NEEDHAN will conduct the ex-

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Total par and market value, carried

Cash in company's principal office.

Cash belonging to the company, deposited—
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Tenn. In First National Bank, Nashville, Tenn. Interest due and accrued on stocks, Interest due and market value.
Gross premiums in course of collection, not months due.
Bills receivable, secured.
All other property belonging to the compature, including safes.

The liabilities of said company: Gross losses in process of adjustment, or in all reported and supposed losses. Total gross amount of claims for losses.....

cas premiums received and receivable up running one year or less from date of unearned premiums, 50 per cent

Total unearned premiums as computed Due and accrued tor salaries, rent, advertis miscellaneous expenses.
All other demands against the company, and to become due, admitted and con or other taxes and assessments; com charges due and to become due to age paid and in course of collection, \$1.88 Total amount of all liabilities, except capi Joint stock capital actually paid up in surplus beyond capital and all other its Amtregate amount of all liabilities in and net surplus.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH The gross amount of all the assests of the Aggregate amount of all the assets of actual value.....

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ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING THE SIST DAY OF DECEMBER 1884, OF THE ACTUAL CONDITION OF THE NORTHWESTERN MULTILAL LIFE-INSURANCE COMPANY ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, MADNOTO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE COMMONWEALTHOUS FOR THE COMMONWEALTHOUS FOR THE COMMONWEAU ACT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMELY REGULATING THE REPORTS OF INSURANCE COMPANIES, APPROVED FEBRUARY 22, 1878.

Name of the company in full-THE NORTH

Home or principal effice of said company

Commenced business - November 25 1838.
Name of the General Agent in Virgin a-John B. CARY & Son.
Residence of the General Agent in Vo-ginia-Richmond.

1. The number of policies issued during the year 2. The amount of insurance effected thereby 517,567 354 69
3. The amount of premiums received during the year 4. The amount of interest received, and all other received.

\$355,616 68 355,616 68 \$ 4.203 72 \$357.616 68

11. The amount of assets, and how invested Loans on bond and mortgage
Premium notes
Real estate
United States bonds and
other bonds (market

other boads (market value).
Cosh on hand and in bank, including \$34, 014.96 of 1884, received January 1-10, 1885.
Accrued interest and rent.
Ledger accounts and bills receivable.
Deferred and unpaid premiums (20 per cent, deducted).
12. The amount of unpaid dividends estimated, \$5,000 (included in No. 9).

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celyed, and all other receipts.

5. The amount of losses and endowments paid diring the year—Matured endowm its. \$614.400.84; death of ms. \$60.256.88

6. The amount of losses and endown its unpaid, unadjusted, and not due (included in No. 9).

Surrendered and impaid policies. \$2284.186.28; dividen stopolicy-holders. \$727.134.74

7. The amount of expenses, including faxes. Commuted commissions.

8. The whole number of policies in force... 1,279,105 %

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